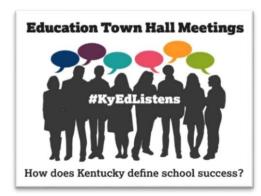
As Kentucky prepares to implement the new federal education law known as the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) in 2017, Kentucky Commissioner of Education Stephen Pruitt is hosting a series of Education Town Hall Meetings to determine how Kentuckians define school success.

- What do you expect from our schools?
- What school characteristics are most important?
- How should we measure school success?
- How do we ensure all schools are successful?
- How should we celebrate school success?



This listening tour is your opportunity to provide input to the Kentucky Department of Education on the design of a new education accountability system that will be used as the basis to improve our schools and celebrate their educational progress. The goal is to produce a system that is fair, reliable, valid and easier to understand.

EDUCATION TOWN HALL MEETINGS: How does Kentucky define school success? All meetings are 6:30 – 8 p.m. local time.		
Date	City	Location
Monday, March 14	Shelbyville	The Blair Center @ Southside Elementary 728 Ginkgo Drive Shelbyville, KY
Tuesday, March 22	Campbellsville	Campbellsville University – Gheens Recital Hall 210 University Drive Campbellsville, KY
Tuesday, March 29	Owensboro	Daviess Co. High School Auditorium 4255 New Hartford Road Owensboro, KY
Thursday, March 31	Hazard	Kentucky Valley Educational Cooperative 412 Roy Campbell Drive Hazard, KY
Thursday, April 7	Lexington	Kentucky High School Athletic Association 2280 Executive Drive Lexington, KY
Monday, April 11	Corbin	Southeast/Southcentral Educational Cooperative – Corbin Center 222 Corbin Center Drive Corbin, KY
Monday, April 18	Ashland	Kentucky Educational Development Corporation – Ashland Conference Center 904 Rose Road Ashland, KY
Thursday, April 21	Louisville	Seneca High School Magnet Career Academy – Stickler Theatre 3510 Goldsmith Lane Louisville, KY
Monday, April 25	Northern Kentucky	Northern Kentucky University James C. and Rachel M. Votruba Student Union – Ballroom Kenton Drive Highland Heights, KY
Wednesday, April 27	Bowling Green	GRREC Offices and Training Center 230 Technology Way Bowling Green, KY
Thursday, April 28	Murray	Murray Middle School Auditorium 801 Main Street Murray, KY

You also may submit your thoughts on the above questions to KyEdListens@education.ky.gov.

